TO HOLD GOURSE IN CORN JUDGING

Virginia Farmers Aroused by Magnitude of Exhibit at State Fair.

MANY DISCUSS PLANS

Contest May Take Place Here in January to Study Problem More Closely.

res of Professor B. W. Crosley, who ms charge of the corn exhibit at ection of the State gathered at Mur-'s Hotel last night to discuss the uestion of holding a short course in orn and stock judging in this city on of the corn exhibit at the fair, and the first result of the effort to proace greater interest in the crop froughout the State With timely rugsestions and information by Professor rosley, the meeting was conducted Professor Lyman E. Carrier, of the Virginia Polytechnic Institute, who came here especially for the ocea-

Want to Judge Themselves. After what they have seen at the tir, the rising generation of Virginia irmers are demanding that some Tair, the rising generation of virgania furmers are demanding that some means of teaching be instituted. They find that to show corn is not enough; they want to be able to judge it, and to use it to better advantage in feed-

For this latter purpose, several of he farmers who now have cattle at he fair have announced their willingness to bring down a number of xport cattle and keep them here during the progress of the course.

After this scheme takes more form will be presented to the Chamber of Commerce and the City Council, sking them to aid in making it one of the greatest events of its kind during the year. Professor Catrier said in the test of the that he recognized it as an

Governor of Ohlo.

After the dinner, Mr. Conover presented Mr. Stones with a shield taken from one of similar design of the firteenth century. It is of cast bronze about sixteen inches wide by twenty inches high, with ornamentation appropriate to the period. In the centre is a bas-relief of Mr. Stone, surrounded by exact reproductions in gold and chamel of the foreign decorations which have been bestowed upon him by France, Germany, Italy, Russia, Sweden and Japan. The whole is surmounted by an American eagle. The coloring is burnished gold, rich and dull, giving a look of age and dignity.

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It is mounted on a French gray velvet, inclosed in a mahogany box.

Among those seated at the guests' table were: George B. Cortelyou, Corbellus N. Bliss, John C. Spooner, Judge

Corn Judge and Prize Corn at Virginia State Fair



PROFESSOR B. W. CROSLEY.

KING CORN HAILED AS FARMER'S HOPE IN OLD DOMINION

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the virile young as their source of strength and progress.

"Virginia's sons see in the pursuit of confronts the corn-growers of the

stables two of his famous Hackney stallions simply for the benefit of the visitors. Throughout the State it is well known that Mr. Fairfax is perhaps the greatest breeder of this variety in Virginia, and one of the best judges in the work, so his horses, though they show nothing but past performances, attract great eroyds of horse-loving people every day.

NEW YORK, October 5.—As a tribute of their affection and regard on the eve of his departure for a trip around the world, friends of Melville E. Stone, general manager of the Associated Press, are him a dinner at the Lotus to have a bright future before him.

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Cfub in this city. Including invited guests and the subscribers to the dinariner, there were 130 present.

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Show at Madison Square Garden last
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tent. He remained unconscious for several hours, but was reported as out of danger last night.

FRISCO FALLS AGAIN FOR NIGHT CROWDS AT FAIR

Wonderful Spectacle in Fire and Light, Changing Always to Multi-Colored Pictures That Thrill and Fascinate Spectators.

Beautiful beyond description were of the nations, these were some of the



FLYING FEVER IS LIKE THE MEASLES

When Aeroplane Begins to Move.

There's no use talking about it, the

than two weeks ago, was launched to day at the opening business session of the American Street and Interurban Railway Manufacturers' Association.

President James r. Shaw, of Boston. In his annual address, opposed the corporation tax, and declared that the case would be carried to the courts. He held that the tax imposes an additional burden upon the holders of the corporation stock, while it does not affect the income of bondholders.

Mr. Shaw advocated the proposed Mr. Shaw advocated the proposed amendment to the Constitution, giving Congress the power to levy a tax on incomes, "at least in cases of emer-gency."

PAGEANT AT ST. LOUIS. Water Carnival Is Chief Event of Centennial Week

ST. LOUIS, October 5.—A water pa-geant, in which scores of gally dressed vessels took part on the Mississippi River, was the chief attraction of roday's program in the St. Louis cen-tennial week,

THREE CLOSE ON WAH HOO LANE

Drive Away Attractions With Chance Features.

Manager of "Appointed mon to the Character man to t The Rev. James Cannon, Jr., the Rev.

"colosal" every fourth minute, throws his megaphone into the tent and flees to the scene of an attraction that is greater than all the midways of the world put together. And the hungry colored visitor, while the lunch vendor's eyes are on the biplanes, steal two meals and goes off with a feeling of richness that nothing can equal. Interest in aviation has spread like a contagion, and next Sunday, when the folks are all home, Billi, the local inventor, who has received flattering letters from patent attorneys, will begin to the horse, and when the higher stood on the backs of the horse, and the result will be just like try it, and the result wil

Everybody at Fair Runs Wildly Ministers Require Officers to Multitude at Fair Feasting All Day on All Sorts of Dishes.

Charles Echols, of Fredericksburg, who was thrown near the finish of the race suffered a scalp wound over the left cye. He was treated by an ambulance surgeon and left.

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FAIR RUNS ABOVE TUESDAY RECORD MADE LAST YEAR

Eastwith legislated at the guests table were. George B. Cortelyou, forwhile M. Blies, John P. Cortelyou, forwhile M. Fall Rake, Board and Blies, John P. Cortelyou, forwhile M. F. Parka, M. Cortel, John P. Cortelyou, forwhile M. F. Parka, M. Cortelyou, forwhile M. F. Parka, M. Cortel, John P. Cortelyou, forwhile M. F. Parka, M. Cortel, John P. Cortelyou, forwhile M. F. Par

AWARD RIBBONS TO EQUINE KINGS

Longland Has No Competition in First Event at State Fair.

LOCAL WINNERS

Judges Have Difficult Work in Selecting Those Deserving of Honor.

ach of which looked to the layman as a prize winner, were drawn up before the judges yesterday morning at 16 o'clock when the difficult task of placing ribbons was any begun. In classes

o'clock when the difficult task of placing ribbons was any begun. In classes where there was any competition at all, it took time. With the patience that every judge must be possessed of to be successful, the movements, looks and all other points of fine horses were noted until at last the few destined to take ribbons and other prizes were jucked out to the satisfaction of winner and loser aifle. Yesterday's judging completed prizes and medals to be awarded to theroughbreds, standardbreds, jacks, jenneta and mules.

In the first class shown, G. Percy Hawes had no competition with his four-year-old stallion, "Longland." H. C. Benttle was an easy winner in the two-year-old stallion class and got second prize in the four-year-old class for mares. A. S. Harrison was the big winner in the classes for jacks, jennets and mules. R. B. Selden took the blue for yearing thoroughbred stallions with Longland's colt Heeltaps. Some of the classes were hotycontested, while there were a few in which there was no competition.

In every case, however, it was left with the judges to decide whether or not the entries were worthy of a prize. On the whole, the arbitrators decided that the horses were the best ever shown in the city.

Thoroughbred Class.

Prizes and ribbons awarded for the day were as follows:

Thoroughbreds:

Class 60: Stallion four years old and over—First, Longland, G. Percy Hawes; no competition.

Class 61: Stallion three years old and under four—Heeltaps R. Selden to

under three—Dorothy Warren, A. J. Warren, city, no competition.
Class 78—Mare, one year old and under two—Caronia, Langhorne Putney, city, no competition.
Class 80, gold medal—Stallion, any age—Berro, Acca Stock Farm.
Class 81, gold medal—Mare, any age—Foxy Lambert, Charles T. Jones, Manchester.
Class 82—Colts, fillies and geidings under two years old—First, Dan Harris, G. H. Harris, city; second, Biria M. Brauer, city.

Gannon, city.

Class 153: Four years old and over—
First, F. N. Standfield; second, H. F.
McCleary, city.
Class 154: Three years old and under
four—First, Robert Hancock, city; second, Smith Brothers, city.
Class 155: Two years old and under
—first, Sally; second, Shamrock H., A.
S. Harrison, Herndon.
Class 156: Under two years old—
First, Topsy; second, Bell, A. S. Harrison, Herndon,
Class 157: Pair to wagon or trust

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Southern Railway Enraings, Estimated earnings of the Southern Railway for the fourth week in Sontember show an increase of \$87.817 and compared with the corresponding week last year.

\$25.00 Offered for a Name

George D. Witt Shoe Company has george D. Witt Snoe Company has put on the market a fine man's shee, made in their Ninth Street men's factory, to retail at \$6. They offer \$25 for a name for this shee, reserving the right to reject any or all names sent in unless one should be acceptable, This offer will close on October 31, 1909. GEO, D. WITT SHOE COMPANY

Lynchburg, Va.